



# **Rio Arriba County Detention Center (RACDC) POLICY 057: RECEIVING SCREENING**

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The Rio Arriba County Detention Facility shall have in place a procedure to acquire inmate information for medical purposes and for proper classification.

**Procedure:**

1. The Rio Arriba County Detention Facility booking process shall include a medical questions form that every new inmate has to answer questions to. All information on this form shall be confidential. The form shall have questions pertaining to the following:
  - a. current illnesses, injuries, and health problems;
  - b. medications taken and special health problems;
  - c. behavioral observations and obvious medical problems, state of consciousness, and mental status;
  - d. disposition referral of inmates to qualified medical personnel on emergency basis.
2. Inmates entering the facility with obvious lacerations, and obvious medical problems shall be required to get transported to a medical facility for a medical clearance before being accepted in to the facility.
3. All severely impaired inmates shall also get medically cleared before being accepted into the facility.
4. Inmates answering positive to current and active tuberculosis shall be transferred to the local health clinic immediately.
5. Inmates answering positive to being alcoholic or current drug addicts will placed in close observation to determine if medical attention will be needed.